UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

DEBORAH CHIN, Individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10294-DPW)
Plaintiff,))
vs.))
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN AHMED, STEPHEN NILL,))
Defendants.))
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BELLAND GROUP'S NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF ITS MOTION BE APPOINTED LEAD PLAINTIFF AND FOR APPROVAL OF ITS CHOICE AS LEAD COUNSEL

MICHELLE TREBITSCH, on behalf of herself and all others similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10307-DPW
Plaintiff,)
VS.	,))
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN M. AHMED, and STEPHEN J. NILL,	,))
Defendants.))
INFORMATION DYNAMICS, LLC, on behalf of itself and all others similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10308-DPW
Plaintiff,))
VS.))
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., PAUL. R. JONES, EDWARD N. HARRIS, J. MICHAEL O'HARA, HASSAN M. AHMED and STEPHEN J. NILL,))))
Defendants.))
PETER KALTMAN, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10309-DPW
Plaintiff,))
VS.))
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., RUBIN GRUBER, HASSAN AHMED and STEPHEN NILL,	,)))
Defendants.	,) .)

SAMANTHA DEN, individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10310-DPW
Plaintiff,)
vs.)
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN AHMED, and STEPHEN J. NILL	M.)
Defendant	s.))
RONALD KASSOVER, on behalf of the Ronald Kassover IRA and all others similarly situated,	Case No. 1:04-cv-10329-DPW)
Plaintiff,)
vs.)
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN AHMED, STEPHEN J. NILL,	M.)
Defendant	s.))
STEVE L. BAKER, Individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10333-DPW
Plaintiff,)
vs.)
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN AHMED, and STEPHEN NILL,)))
Defendant	s.))

) Case No. 1:04-cv-10345-DPW
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) Case No. 1:04-cv-10362-DPW
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SANUEL HO, Individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10363-DPW
Plaintiff,	,))
vs.))
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN AHMED, and STEPHEN NILL,)))
Defendants.))
JEFFREY C. RODRIGUES, Individually on behalf of all others similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10364-DPW
Plaintiff,))
VS.)
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN M. AHMED, and STEPHEN J. NILL,))
Defendants.)))
ROBERT CONTE and MARK RESPLER, on behalf of himself and all other similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10382-DPW
Plaintiff,))
VS.))
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN AHMED, and STEPHEN NILL,))
Defendants.))

WHEATON ELECTRICAL SERVICES RETIREMENT 401 K PROFIT SHARING		Case No. 1:04-cv-10383-DPW
PLAN, on behalf of itself and all others similarly situated,)	
Plaintiff,)	
vs.)	
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN AHMED and STEPHEN J. NILL,)	
Defendants.) _)	
BRIAN CLARK, Individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,	-))	Case No. 1:04-cv-10454-DPW
Plaintiff,)	
vs.)	
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., PAUL R. JONES, EDWARD N. HARRIS, J. MICHAEL O'HARA, HASSAN M. AHMED, and STEPHEN J. NILL,))))	
Defendants.) _) _)	
SHEILA BROWNELL, Individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,	-))	Case No. 1:04-CV-10597-DPW
Plaintiff,)	
VS.)	
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN AHMED and STEPHEN NILL,)	
Defendants.)	

SAVERIO PUGLIESE, on behalf of) Case No. 1:04-cv-10612-DPW
himself and all others similarly situated,)
Plaintiff,))
VS.)
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN M. AHMED, STEPHEN J. NILL,)))
Defendants.)
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DAVID V. NOCITO, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated,) Case No. 1:04-cv-10623-DPW
Plaintiff,)
vs.))
SONUS NETWORKS, INC., HASSAN M. AHMED, and STEPHEN J. NILL,))
Defendants.)))

Plaintiffs Grace I. Belland, Leopoldo L. Mestre, Jacob I. Sherman, Scott L. Dunkley, Abdul S. Budhinani, and Sean P. McCarthy, collectively known as the "Belland Group," hereby withdraw their motion to be appointed Lead Plaintiff. In light of the Global Undervalued Securities Master Fund's loss of \$920,000 and purchase of 300,000 shares of Sonus stock, the Belland Group believes the Global Undervalued Securities Master Fund is the "most adequate plaintiff" within the meaning of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and should be appointed Lead Plaintiff. This withdrawal is without prejudice to the Belland Group's claims and rights as members of the proposed class, including the right to share in any recovery achieved in these actions for the benefit of the class. This withdrawal is also conditioned on the Court appointing a Lead Plaintiff from among the applicants who moved to be appointed Lead Plaintiff on April 12, 2004.

Dated: April 26, 2004

Boston, Massachusetts

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